

The Johnson City Fire Department offers the citizens a service to install free smoke detectors in your home.

"One of the best ways you can protect your family in the event of a fire is to make sure your home is equipped with working smoke alarms," said Fire Chief Mark Scott. "As a service to our citizens, we will provide and install up to three detectors in residences within city limits. These detectors come with a 10-year battery."

According to the U.S. Fire Administration, the risk of injury can be cut in half by installing at least one working smoke alarm inside and outside each bedroom, and on every level of a home.

Any city resident who does not have working smoke alarms in their home or need assistance replacing batteries may contact the Johnson City Fire Department at (423) 975-2840 or submit an online request here.